

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Karen M. SLIMAK et al

Serial No.: 09/927,062

Filed: August 10, 2001

For: PROCESS OF USING SODIUM SILICATE TO CREATE FIRE RETARDANT
PRODUCTS



Group Art Unit: 1762

Examiner: M. Barr

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Final Rejection mailed September 9, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

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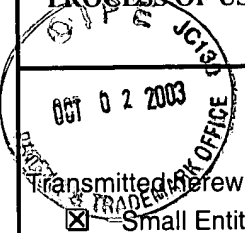
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Applicant(s): Karen M. SLIMAK et al		

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Invention:
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TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.
☒ Small Entity status of this application has been established under 37 CFR 1.27 by a verified statement previously submitted.
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